GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
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PACKAGE FOR NORTH EASTERN REGION
Borkataky Shri Narayan Chandra

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Government proposes to allocate funds for special package for All India Radio and Doordarshan in North Eastern Region (NER) during the Eleventh Five Year Plan; and

(b) If so, the total funds allocated for the said period along with the components for software and hardware separately?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING(SHRI P.R. DASMUNSI)

(a) Yes Sir.

(b) The total fund allocated for the same is Rs.369.83 crores during Eleventh Five Year Plan. Funds allocated for hardware and software for the year 2007-08 and 2008-09 are given below:

(Rupees in crore)

Year	Capital (Hardware)	Revenue (Software)
2007-08	47.50	17.50
2008-09	51.00	16.56